

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 53-83 are pending. By this Amendment, claim 73 has been amended to depend from claim 53, so that claim 73 and claim 67 do not have identical scope. Therefore, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection are respectfully requested.

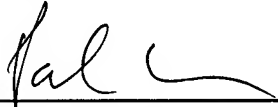
In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that all the claims are patentable and that the entire application is in condition for allowance.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further is desirable to place the application in better condition for allowance, he is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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